

Introduced by Senator Hollingsworth

February 22, 2007

An act to add Section 6610 to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to sexually violent predators.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 502, as introduced, Hollingsworth. Sexually violent predators: GPS.

Under existing law, a person committed to a secure mental health facility as a result of being found to be a sexually violent predator, as defined, may be unconditionally released if a court determines the person is no longer a threat to the safety of others and the person successfully completes at least one year in a forensic conditional release program, as specified.

This bill would require any person who has been, since January 1, 1996, or is hereafter found to be a sexually violent predator to be monitored by a global positioning system for life upon being unconditionally released.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 6610 is added to the Welfare and
- 2 Institutions Code, to read:
- 3 6610. Every person who, since January 1, 1996, has been or
- 4 is hereafter adjudicated to be a sexually violent predator, and is

- 1 unconditionally released from commitment, shall be monitored by
- 2 a global positioning system for life.